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REAL BASIS OF PROSPERITY

culates that last year, whereas to better conditions of their workers.

have ever known, that commerce was laws, while its left arm is palsied ized nations, those of highest cul- whole career up to the present time.

It is well for Americans to keep selves. all, this country is the chief market PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF STREET comforts which they cannot spare, son's delineation, couried with two for this country's products and industry. The most important effort that can be made for promotion of industry and enterprise is to insure that our own trade will be cared for, our own products insured the best chance in their home market, our own labor employed at remunerative

urably more so. The fact cannot be as unmitigated cranks. too earnestly impressed. That policy which will do most for home produclabor and capital, is after all the real cisely as it owns the water supply. finement give men better, steadier basis on which permanent prosperity will be established.

CIVIC SPIRIT IN WASHINGTON

Persons who insist that residents of Washington are entirely lacking are precisely the same that they imposed such fearful, nerve-racking in civic spirit because they have have been throughout the years that conditions of life and fighting on its

be deprived of the vote, this ill wind, overcapitalized, and very recently the Montenegrins are a simple, unhe points out, blows this good: that there has been a determined effort cultured, elemental people who don't the interest of Washington residents further to inflate the capitalization, know any better than to quit when

driven voters of other cities. In the nature of things the government of the District is far removed from polities, a consummation for which other cities are devoutly wishing, and working.

CIVIL SERVICE PENSIONS

legislation for retirement pensions emergency might arise. for civil employes of the Govern- Before the war's end, unless that ment, the spokesman of a commit- end shall come much sooner than tee of the National Civic Federation now seems possible, there will alexpounded sound sense about the most certainly be a period of most fuel men. matter before the convention of that difficult consideration of the interbody. For ten years this commit- ests of the minor northern countries. tee has studied the subject and Scandinavia may become another their findings have the value of an Balkania, of the north. The Scandiexpert opinion.

he pension department, not only sympathy and interest and common of '82" best. presents the Government pension is- institutions to the western wing of Uncle Sam provide pensions for his sia, and with Italy. annuity pensions, while all the Goy, she is disposed toward Germany, beshare in a contributory plan.

sounds workable, made by the com- the Balkan nations that has latterly mittee, is that the difference be- plunged into the war has broken tween the salary paid a retired em- away from its obvious moorings and eral vacant seats on the January ploye, and that paid to a new man taken the German side, Bulgaria wagon. taking his place, be granted to the ought to have been bound to Rusretiring employe as a pension. Such sia; but it has gone with Germany. Haiti. About one attempted assassia scheme might well furnish the Greece is naturally bound to Eng- nation a day now. basis of a beginning for Federal land; but it has refused to do more pensions, though, of course, the Gov- than maintain an attitude of neuernment would have to provide for trality. the increase in the salary of the Sweden is suffering severely be-

The committee explodes that old argument that the \$1,000 or \$1,200 her suffering is rather imaginary Government clerk should be expected to raise and educate a family blockade, she would be getting rich of that conscription measure. That and then have enough left to live in by taking toll as the gateway to is, trench or retrench. comfort in his old age. Even if he Germany. She is doing extremely did it a quarter of a century ago, it well, indeed, in that capacity, is pointed out, the advancing cost despite the blockade. But her busi- macy for Colonel House to get the dynamics of the modern drama of living has practically worked to ness interests do not easily recon- along with all those American amlecrease that man's actual salary cile themselves to the measure of infrom year to year

The subject of pensions is a properentain American business interests President, anyway?

The Washington Times or one for any civic organization to refuse to feel cheerful over the altake up. Especially broad are its lies' intrusion into our field of busisocial aspects. If a man is com- ness opportunity. So, between the pelled to skimp the education and feeling that the blockade is pruning comfort of his family in order to down business, and the fear that one provide a meager living for himself day Russia, if her side wins now, n his advancing years the next gen- will swoop down on the northern eration will be a bigger cost to the peninsula, there is real danger that community than a pension fund soon or late the war will slop over would have been.

Gratifying indeed are the efforts countries. It is going to be necesof private corporations for the wel- sary for the allies to handle the fare of employes. Given especial minor northern states gingerly and mention are the willingness of the with all consideration, if they shall A New York financial publication garment and cotton goods industries territory in the north.

foreign trade amounted to There is an irony in the fact that 350,000,000, the domestic com- the Government, with its strong rce of the United States was over right arm, should be endeavoring to 0,000,000,000. That is, in the year force these industries to compliance which unthinking people make is the greatest foreign commerce we with all sorts of workmen's welfare the assumption that the more civilonly about 1 per cent of the domes- when it comes to helping its own employes provide pensions for them- they are softened by luxury, ener-

RAILWAYS

Congressman Crosser made the Congressman Crosser made the question of street railway owner-ship more than academic when, last session, he got a favorable report on his bill to buy the systems of this city. Down to that time it had been a subject for languid debate now and a subject for languid debate now and then, with the proponents of the look like the play of children. The to us, but domestic traffic is immeas- measure very certain to be set down look like the play of children. The

per has been pleased to be numbered. dier soldiers than those of Russia, tion, which will expand the home It believes that the municipality the rudest, least cultured nation market, which will give assurance of ought to own the street railways, among the great powers. the gas and electric facilities, pre-

will pass on it.

not the vote would do well to con- this newspaper has urged the policy, soldiery; and there never has been sider the remarks made by Commis- Sentiment has grown powerfully, one in which a higher quality of persioner Newman before the Monday however, in favor of its adoption, sonal heroism has been displayed. Evening Club last evening. The There is a better realization that The most warlike nation engaged Commissioner claims a residential competition between two car cor- in the war, the one that for cenexperience in nine cities, and a bird porations is wasteful, unscientific, turies has made war its vocation of passage acquaintance with many and promotive in inconvenience and has held the pursuits of peace others, and in none of those, he said, rather than satisfaction to the pub- in light esteem, is the first to suris the interest in community mat- lic. The street car systems com- render: Montenegro. Overmatched ters so highly developed as in Wash- pete in the sections that have dense indeed it has been; hopeless under traffic, and leave other sections with the heel of Austro-Bulgarian power. Un-American as it may seem to utterly inadequate service. They are But beyond that lies the fact that

n civic matters is not sporadic, ris- It is time for Congress to begin they are beaten. In such a struggle ing to a climax at election times, doing some real things for Wash- as the present, the race that surnor is it personal, centering about ington. We have had a long period renders merely because it is defeathe personal merits of candidates, in which the needs of the city have ed, has a poor chance to win glory To get interested in community wel- been well-nigh neglected because of or to maintain its place in the world. the Washington citizen must the quarrel over fiscal relations. Dr. Woods Hutchinson, addressrs, not personalities, and That controversy is on the way to ing the Civica Federation yesterday, thinking without the settlement, and there ought to be made some observations that may prompt attention to matters of vital well be considered in this connection.

his Parliament from the throne, indulged some pointed references to virile, efficient people. Civilization the fact that Scandinavia has been based on the factors that more and placed in a difficult position by rea- more dominate in our modern life, is must also bear heavily on the neu- might have added that men of the Coincident with the announce- trals adjacent to Germany. He ad- same races are taller, stronger, betment from the Capitol yesterday vised in strongest terms that ter set up, than they were centuries that Senator Pomerene is to urge Sweden prepare itself for whatever ago. The race is improving in all

navian nations and the Dutch king- Yes, he's at large this morning-William R. William R. William of dom are naturally bound by ties of the "this-ain't-nothing-to-the-springtate, municipal, and corporate pen- states are naturally affiliated by ions. How temperate are the racial and religious ties with the last June. laims of those who would have eastern power of the entente, Rus-

workers can be sensed from the But despite the logical presump- those warriors look about as much fact that corporations in many cases tion that Sweden, for instance, at home on a horse as a man driving already have provided straight or would side with Britain and France, his wife's electric. ernment is asked to do is to bear a cause of her fear of Russia, which a French soldier of indigestion. overweighs all other considerations. Take your choice. One novel suggestion, which In the same way, the only one of

younger clerk from time to time. cause of the interference of the The committee explodes that old blockade with her commerce. Yet terference that is imposed, just as | Why not mention Henry Ford for | Will | Thousand

the Baltic and draw in the north

vated by indulgence, accustomed to and incapable of fighting as the other strong portraitures, and backed rougher peoples can.

men of France and Britain and Ger-Among the cranks, this newspa- many and Italy have proved stur-

The truth is that culture and re-Mr. Crosser's bill was reported nerves; they equip the mind with a last winter, but did not get consid- power of concentrated control that eration. Now it is reintroduced and the barbarian does not know. A long a reconstituted District Committee period of peace does not enervate the race; it rather strengthens it. The reasons for public ownership There has never been a war which

That sort of thing makes strong, directions.

The offstage chortles are from the

As a living room decoration at this writing, a fire log has it on a family tree a long, long way.

There is no law to prevent you ue, but tells of the progress in the entente; precisely as the Balkan from swatting the man who now ad- of some and times Zona, one of India's mits that he bought his coal supply extenents of symbolic dances, are shar-

The war, says Shepherd, has cured

It is reported from usually well make up the program is Beatrice Her informed sources that there are sev-

Normal conditions restored in

There are two sorts of visitors in Washington-those who wear convention badges and those who don't. The former are safe to take into your office, according to one of the

It's going to take a lot of diplo-

bassadors.

Plays and Players at Capital Theaters This Week

NATIONAL.

of Elsie Ferguson, who is reer of this most talented of our One of the commonest errors younger wars be anywhere near realized

As "Margaret Schiller," then Miss Ferguson gives us the best of her ture, are somewhat decadent; that but it is to be regretted that the vehicle which she has chosen should be so faulty in construction.

Even the excellence of Miss Fergu-

by a supporting cast which, while not perfect, was not too poor, fall to dis-At the beginning of the present guise either the trituness of the dia-

them might well have completely stolouded the personal offorts of the cast.

The story opens with a prologue which reveals members of the cabinst of England on the night that war is declared with a fopeign power.

Besides placing the time of the events which are to take place, this prologue serves to acquaint the audience with several facts necessary to an understanding of the play, but which might well have been developed in the play with the month of the month of the continuous to tell the audience anything they trite dialogue which seemed designed for to tell the audience anything they then by the action.

In Act I, three-months after the declaration of war, the home of one of the foreign residents of Lordon is shown. For thirty years the Schillers and his sen Erisdetich, is one of the editors of the international Televraph and his sen Erisdetich, is one of the community. In Schiller is a professor at the London, conservatory of Masic, and his sen Erisdetich, is one of the community. The schiller is a professor at the London, conservatory of Masic, the london that the war has fregressed Dr. Schiller and this few Erisdetich is one of the community. The schiller is a professor at the London, conservatory of Masic, the london that the continuous the professor at the London to the community of Masic, and his sen Erisdetich, is one of the community. The schiller is a professor at the London, conservatory of Masic, the london that have the curring the three months and that the war has fregressed Dr. Schiller and controlled the appetite of the international Televraph.

The london the professor and the second desired the most powerful lights thrown on the casting should make the plot with great glee.

Sam Adau's created humor in its of the second with great glee.

Some travely beautiful and arrivers and the London, conservatory of Masic, the community and Louise Mink looked attractive, singly humor in its of the second with great glee.

Some travely humor and densing of the meaning of syncopation and the most powerf

oncortunity to which she has longed the privilege of entering the home of the prime mint or who is held morally the prime mini or who is held morally resignished by the foreign resident

SCANDINAVIA AND THE WAR and should have three times as the safety of her layed ones in return cidentally rung in as a guest at a much money to spend for good food, their plans, and reveal to her a plot item party in a housing, and healthful recreation." to kill the minister—how, in a desire torce of circumstances makes a great to be a plot item party in a housing and healthful recreation." ratest him, she is entangled, in com- impression phirations from which she cannot est whose millions his host desired to the cape and new she gives herself as the fact in a speculative scheme. wince, constitutes the three remain-

dareth Hughes, as the brother Otto.

evenus of this drama are far-fretched, our offen the strangeness of truth when made into action, must be softwhen made into hetion, must be saft-ened. Indeed, in this instance it would have added to the interest of the play if for instance, a lighter demand had been made upon the bullet, which, there at an opening door, in the sitch dark, the an excited youth house, with an excited youth across a wide m, hit its mark unerringly and kill-Margaret Schiller, Perhans that of circumstances has been

capitested somewhere during the course of human events, but If the proven s difficult to believe, how mucl then, is it to assume that if ficultions drama FLORENCE E. YODER

KEITH'S.

the time headline honors at Keith's this are ina Hayward Grace Howard, Doris in the leading roles, week on a bill replete with singling. Theyer, and Jeanette Mohr, all of From the daily prints, some of duncting and comedy. Miss La Rue whom are good looking and who can I signs a number of her song hits, and is ; accommend by Charles tillen.
Zone's dances of the elements, including Spirit of the Storm," "Death of the Leaves," and "Nymph of the

the Leaves," and "Nymph of the Wayes," are offerings given in an ap-preciative manner and with electrical effects that make the several numbers Among the other numbers that go to

ford, who continues from last week, and again repeats her success with a lighth series of banching life studies. Willard there Simula with his indiceous paper-hang-ing not keeps the sudience amused. Mark- and Mary McParland grand opera and concert singers, again acore with their rich voices and pleasing perline of the hest impersonations that

has been given of the popular screen Augus favorite. Charlie Chaplin, is by Bert Elmo, fering by the Gordon Wildes score a large audience, bit in their presentation of autuated. The story of "St. Effic" - Labillar to pictures, included in which are slippractically every one involving, as in honetter of prominent men. Included does, the complete set remains of a

Gives Drama Lecture.

The first of a series of six lectures on to be delivered by Miss Emma Goldman temorrow evening in Perpetual made a deep impression on he didle building Association Half. Her topic will be the "Scandinavian trama" and will include a discussion of Henrik appears in the part of Arms tiambon August Strindberg and Bjornat mond, elster of the young man St. man temorrow evening hi include a discussion of Henrik uppear, n August Strindberg and Bjornet mond.

BELASCO.

way and the risibilities of an insmense were won last night by the Poli Play playing this week at the Na- audience shook with another of those ers in their premier stock production steel, agricultural implement, twine, garment and cotton goods industries to better conditions of their workers.

There is an irony in the fact that the Government, with its strong

With all consideration, it they shall item and the new tional Theater in the new Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Mangaret Schiller, by Hall ments last night with the opening per graphs of the Cayuga lake tisher folk.

Culture and Floration is offered to the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country, the Winter Garden extravagant entertains of the Storm Country of the Storm Country of the Storm Country of the Storm Country of th made three hours of riotous amusement seem cruelly short.

> Headed by Florence Moore, a comedlenne as attractive to look upon as her fun was contaglous, and Mile. feminine the animated vaudeville produced more enlivened nimbleness than previous Winter Garden offerings, and the masculine end of the entertainment was held to a high standard by the many humorists

Two acts, of twelve scenes with New York and Greece and Expet as the locale, were employed to "put across" the quantities of originality in the soor

iel and condemned to prion on the given. Strikingly heautiful was the curse of having added his countrymen if gettine out of Encland. There he fluid some to the first part, showing selectine out of Encland. There he fluid some to the first part, showing selectine out of Encland. There he fluid some travesty was well performed, and the first some travesty and her different which Mile basic and her different strong, and, blinded by wint they of color and motion.

Twenty-one singing and damping implies in the twelve some interspect with the upcoarfold function of species with the upcoarfold function.

numbers in the twelve scenes infer spersed with the uprearious fun swar and Mack, the busiescene techin Their includes here his position in the Their includes here here in the Their includes here here in the Their includes here here in the secret of the Metropolitan Theat the actual with their course, Priedrica, is distinct on their trends broubbied from the actual a coverings that startled the even marked 'Maid in Amarich' one of the hest must end productions viewed by Washington as in recent seasons.

LOEW'S COLUMBIA.

ior the whole, var.

She represents herself as the Swiss poverness who is expected in the house collect the best photoplay he has bout the best unate change which allowed the same room, when allowed the same inspector who has seen her not an hour hefere in her own home, to be present, and the last Collect the best photoplay at Lock's Columbia the same room, when she arrives, site in the same room, when she arrives, site would have succeeded in concealing her true identity.

However, regardless of the proof of the proof of the detective, the prime addator refuses to the best production because of the detective, the prime addator refuses to which the story is carried to a sequence of events. By cutting out the first part of this week model for production because of the proof of the detective, the prime addator refuses to the distance of the proof of the detective, the prime addator refuses the story is carried to a sequence of events. By cutting out the first part of this was been produced publication of J. Stuart Black degree Washington, No. 8, Fidelity, No. 2, State and Fellows-Lodges: Mr. Pleasant, No. 8, Galden Ende, No. 3, and Amity, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 1, in the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 1, in the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. Stuart Black degree washington, No. 2, and Amity, No. 2, the production of J. impression on a young millionaire whose millions his host desires to en-

The usual assortment of crooks found in photoplays is to be found in this me. The really good work of Miss son of the blockade which, in order not degeneracy and enervation; it is not be effective against Germany, the very opposite. Dr. Hutchinson interesting and exceptional characters then associations, make the acting must also bear heavily on the new terms of the would not do to say that the part of the here.

It is of this drama are far-fetched. The program also includes a "Mina"

a travel picture showing the comedy cuguayan artny, and the usual news im. The latter part of the week him. The latter part of the week Marguerite Clark will be seen in "Mice

GAYETY.

In- his nevest calce. The stalling enemy. The victory of the invaders is unit Players and it it is Road to Happe- sweeping, the last part of the film these. Presenting a two-act musical showing a color bearer of the defenders fantasy entitied. In and tout, this falling with a furled flag before the capable harlesque organization yesters and day opened a week's engagement at the falling of the flag Capable. Reference the showing of the flag Capable.

Fields, while under. They Skelly is an along ded counger, sing and dance in a manner to please dayety patrons. The show does not lag a moment, and it is particularly lively witen the chorus is on the stage asgregation of chorus girls is sidered about the best seen here this season and thry show to advantage in quite claborative ensembles. With startling costumes ton that the most finished and artistic interpre-tion in the ollo the feature was the Hay-ward sisters in a novelty musical number. Others were the Stantons in conversational act, and Doris number of songs. lighting effects are pretentious,

CASINO.

Willard Heleomt's dramatization of has been keiven of the popular screen favorite. Charile Chaplin, is by Bert Since Chaplin, is by Bert Since Chaplin, is by Bert Since Company this week. Its brese to who present a potpourri of song, dance, and comedy. The Shadowaraphy of able evidences of approved from the

> St. Elmo killed his curone the man afterward and the course of each other's live. The play is set in America most of the seenes being in the vicinity of these.

Lonis Anter, in the part of St. Elmo Joung men Elmo Rilled in the duel.

POLI'S.

The "Tessibel" of sing tenhouse presented her in a role in tenhouse presented her in a role in tenhouse presented her in a role in the District at this eventually the District at the District at this eventually the District at the Distric

ordinary squatter."

Admirers of E. H. Van Buren were given a shock and also a surprise to see their favorite in the surplice of a clergyman, the self-sacrificing son of a millionaire who gave up a wealthy New York congregation to head mission work congregation to head mission work enough the paschers and squatters. vork among the poachers and squatters nating in taking Tess for a life mis-

Not in weeks have the Poli Players Not in weeks have the Pon Players been cast in such delightful, sympa-thetic parts. Miss Madeline King, as Teola Graves, the sister of the cleric and daughter of the millonaire, whom Tess shields from slander at the im-minent sacrifice of respect of her par-son-fover, showed her versatility. Miss King's portrayal was etched with skill and her was second only to that of Miss Rit

Ralph Rumley, as 'Satisfied' Longman, showed difficult role.

the half-witted vokel and doglike devotee of Tess, the vehicle for the "happy ever after" ending, J. Hammond Dailey as Ezra Longman had one of his most difficult parts since his connection with the players. Taggart as Ben Letts, about

whom the whole story of homely trag-edy revolved; John M. Kline, as old Orn Skinner, the father of Tess. and lioward Long, as the millionaire father of irascible temperament, all gave pleasing interpretations. The mountain witch incantations and make-up of 'Old Moll,' portrayed by Miss Blanche Friderici, sent chills down the spines and gave goblin dreams to the juvenile In smaller parts, Charles Andre, Miss.

Marguerite Starr, Cecil Bowser, How-ard Schoppe, and Miss Louise Carson Hill were happily cast.

A novel feature to the patrons last night was an extemporaneous program, between acts, of local talent under di-rection of the Sons of Veterans organization. Miss Gertrude Lawrence, Richard Bache, Miss Estelle Murray, and Miss Nugent, with the Sons of Vetpopular approval

STRAND.

Considered in conjunction with the editorials that are appearing in the newspapers by such persons as Col. Theodore Rossevelt, Col. Henry Watterson and others the presentation of "The Battle Cr. of Peace" at Moore's Strand Theaer this week is an object lesson which hows the cyils the writers are trying to warn the country against. Considered purely as a photo-play. The Battle Cry of Peace, contains more thrills, purely spectacular protog-

as would be the vote, the as would be the vote, the concern to the city. Among these, as would be the vote is not all there is to hat the vote is not all there is to agod citizenship. Even though we may not be 350,000 political cipiers.

The play is a meloderana, pure minister, however, extra be as a service, come at the head of the list.

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The play is a meloderana pure of the merbid horror that its not the story is cutrient to ne the which the story i story of unpreparedness in the Udited States in a most vivid way. The play deals with the life of a man of millions who is an ardent peace advocate. He will listen to nothing that suggests the brengration of the country for a possible war. With his money and influence lists "Heeding France," Mrs. Ida 1310 ble war.

he works against military preparedness in every form.
At the great moment in his life, when ne is presiding over a monster peace meeting in New York, the city is atby a foreign army and navy. The pictures show the defenses of York as they actually are and the futile efforts at defense that are made by the efforts at defense that are made by the Schiller," 5:15 p. m. bandful of regular troops against the Belasco-Mile, Dazie in "Maid in America. big invading force. The ships of the enemy remain out of range of the guns of the harbor forts and reduce the city

Pictures of familiar sections of Broadway are shown with shells failing in the streets and buildings being demolished The fleeing population is met No expense in tarenity has been array of invaders from the spaced by M. a Spiczei in putting out city is completely at the

First Carly and Hal Skelly have the Jask Crawford, the "neet scout," is leading comedy roles the former as a scheduled to make a brief address on German of the old burlesque type made preparedness. The story of the play farmous by Weber and Fields, while was written by J. Stuart Blackton and is cased on Hudson Maxim's book, 'De-femaless America.' The production was made by the Vitagraph company with Skelly is an elongated bundle. Stanton, bave good assistants in Ernie Stanton, and by the Vitagraph commany with Edule Lloyd, and Vel Stanton, Amons Charles Richman and Norma Talimadge.

GARDEN.

The production of a coally more formetion pictures is usually more formetion pictures and the setting of spectacular effect and the setting of story of sight dramatic value must spectacular story of slight dramatic value splite claborate. However, the prov-posite claborate Hawayaph company that the "Hawayaph company "Pownsend Fre tiven to Cyrus. Townsend Brady's story of "My Lady's Slipper," with Farle Williams and Anita Stewart, as seen at Moore's Garden Theater ves-The scenic and the story tells of an American Revotionary here who escapes from a firstish convert ship into France, he comes involved with a French ma-guis makes love to a dabity lade in

aiting of Maria Antoinette, and meets Benineda Franklin, then minister to France. The play is full or action, as well as beautiful settings and costumes My Lady's Shprer" will be repeated

production of another of Cyrus Townby the Vitagraph or is the heroine and the play produced by Charles Kent Friday and Saturday Valli Valli will be presented in the Metro production. "The Turmoll," which Ethel Partymore presented on the stage.

Trap Catches Eagle. GREEN BAY, Wis., Jan. 18 - A lance

hald eagle alighted in a trap set on his Washingte form by Herman Guetinen, and the being held as a prize by him. Sainrday a cripe of weighs forty pounds, measures eight P English Through tipe claws have a spread of nine inches.

EXPECTS PROHIBITION **BILL FOR DISTRICT**

Senator Jones Has Little Doubt Measure Would Command Majority in Committee.

Senator Jones of Washington prediets the Senate District Committee

Senators Hollis and Saulsbury are se down as doubtful. Little doubt i full that the hill would command

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National Marine Engineers' Asso, Haleigh, 10 a. m. National Civic Association, Nec. I. to a. m. Bereau Bible Class, Ninth Sires Christian Church, 5 p. m. Meeting, Columbia Historical Society, Show ham, 8 p. m. lilustrated lecture, "The Nations at War, W. J. Showalter, Luther Place Memoria

W. J. Showalter, Luther Church, 8 p. m. Banquet, New Jersey Society, Rauscher's, 8 Election of officers. Home (Tub. 4:30 to 6 p. ni. Address, "The World War and the Puture of Address, "The World War and the Future of the Socialist Internationality." Alexandra Kallontay, before Socialist Party, Pythian Temple, 3 In p. m. Blustrated lecture. "The Necessity of Mater Power Development," Henry P. Merra New National Museum, 8:30 p. m. Address, "The Navy's Trophy Flugz." Prot. H. C. Washburn, before District Sons of the Revolution, Army and Navy Club, 8:15 p. m.

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Address. "Laws of the District Relating to
Housekeepers," Miss Mary O'Toole, Veformembers of Housekeepers' Alliance, HoneClub, 2:80 p. m.,
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monial. Kallipolis Grotto, Velled Prophets, ladies night, Raleigh Hotel.
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social.

Kneip, Miss Katherine Becker, and Miss Georgia Miller, Library of Congress, 3.1. Association, A. M. E. Church, M stre-between Fifteenth and Sixteenth atrees

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